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- 2. Relevance of the non-English language references 4-7 and 11 and 12 is discussed in the present specification.
- 3. References 2, 3, 9, 10 and 13 were cited in the International Application. An English language version of the foreign search report is attached for the Examiner's information.
- 4. English-language Abstracts of the non-English language references 4, 7, 9 and 10 are attached hereto.

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5. English-language translations of the non-English language references 5, 6, 8 and 12 are attached hereto.

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